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Folly of Giving Aid to Red Nations

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WASHINGTON, June 15.—Foreign aid critics in the Senate are suspicious that John Foster Dulles is being played for a prize sucker by Moscow in the policy of including the Communist satellite countries in the future giveaway programs.

California's Senator William Knowland managed to block any official blessing of the idea by an agonizing one-vote margin, 43 to 42, but another attempt will be made later in the session.

The timing of the latest lovers' quarrel between Moscow and Belgrade, however, was too perfect to ignore. The argument for aid to the satellites is that it tends to drive a wedge between national communism in the several countries, and Russian communism.

Tito is held up as the ideal example of national independence and what can happen under the policy of "gradualism" as against Hungarian style revolt. At the perfectly strategic time in the Senate's foreign aid considerations, Khrushchev threatens to cancel all further credits to Tito, and Tito threatens to bring suit in the World Court.

With this pantomime as a purported object lesson of potential accomplishment, Dulles' lobby artists drummed on susceptible Senators and almost put their point across. They did get a specific authorization for aid to Yugoslavia and Poland.

THE CONSENSUS of intelligence reports, except for those through the pink-tinted channels of the CIA, agree that Khrushchev would like nothing better than for American aid to go to the satellite governments because it would help to relieve the load that now is falling on Russian shoulders. Furthermore, by helping to ease the economic unrest in those countries, it lessens the necessity for costly Russian occupation forces.

This is not the story as served up by the foreign aid enthusiasts. They told members of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee that the President merely wants standby authority, to be able to extend financial aid in the event of some unforeseen crisis, when money assistance might spell the difference between independence by a given country and continued subservience to the Kremlin.

The fact is, the International Cooperation Administration planners already have the satellite loans under consideration and are prepared to put them into effect within weeks after the authority is granted.

The most incredible angle of all is that topmost on the planned list of satellite grants is Hungary, and the government of the Communist butcher Janos Kadar, who sold out his people to the Russian tanks on the very eve of their freedom.

To many Americans, Janos Kadar symbolizes the worst in treachery, betrayal and traitorism. Under his 18 months of dictatorship, the Hungarian people are worse off than they have ever been. But the foreign aid lobbyists have persuaded individual Senators that aid to Hungary would stiffen their will for freedom and weaken the Russian influence.

THE FACT THAT the aid would go to the Kadar government, not to the people of Hungary, is ignored, as is the fact that the Hungarian people hate the Russian oppressors and would rise up again, if it were possible, to drive them from the country, sending Kadar along with them.

The astounding phenomenon of the whole affair is that Senators who have swallowed this propaganda have not done the first reckoning with prospective public reaction in this country and the outraged indignation that unquestionably would result.

An average American revolts at the thought of Janos Kadar and would not breathe the same air with him.

The ultimate, of course, is what can be expected of these countries in the event of a showdown between Russia and us. Does anyone seriously believe that however many the billions in aid, the Kremlin puppet governments of any of these countries is going to fight for our side?